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Traveling To Switzerland

Marion Girl Discovers Home Away From Home

By Dionne F. Richmond

While gently flipping through a thick photo album bursting with memories, Margo Leatham hesitates when she comes across a snapshot of a teenage girl smiling, holding a pick, her shoes covered in mud, with the Swiss Alps peeking out from the background. That girl was her -- living out her dream of traveling to a foreign country and learning a whole new culture.

Each snapshot represented a special moment -- whether it was making Swiss Bread (which she says is delicious), stirring cheese outside on the cobblestoned streets in Groyere, traveling to different chapels, flying over the alps, admiring stained glass windows and ancient tapestry, medievall towns, a Roman Amphitheater, chateaux, marinas, breathtaking gardens, lakes or castles on top of mountains. "Everything is neat, clean and perfect," she said.

She now shares a special bond with the family she stayed with and other friends she made on the trip. "I made good friends, I learned a lot -- a language-- and I saw a beautiful country. Switzerland was the best choice," she said. She feels she was lucky to have studied French for one year before her trip. What she didn't know she picked up along the way, including some slang to help her get by. At school she learned Parisian French and there are some differences from Swiss French. "They corrected me. It got easier to communicate," she said. Her host family daughter was fluent in English, and they became fast friends. They keep in touch by writing letters and are already talking about a reunion.

"She's already talking about going back 'home'," said her mom Elizabeth, referring to Switzerland.

Margo reminisced about her trip with vivid descriptions of the beautiful country. Her host family's uncle flew her over the Alps, and she saw the house she stayed in which across the Lake of Neuchatel. She admitted the food there was delicious and that she added a couple of pounds to her slender figure. She was also impressed with the gardens there.

"They don't go to the grocery store to get vegetables. They have huge gardens, especially in the summer," she said.

Another accomplishment was climbing the 369 steps of St. Nicholas in Frieberg. Yes, she counted each one. She also had the opportunity to work while she was there, doing things she would probably never dream of doing in America.

For two weeks, she spent her time at a work camp in the Swiss Alps with 24 other exchange students from Hong Kong, Egypt, Canada and almost half of them from America. She said her clothes and boots will probably be permanently stained with caked-on mud from hiking each day, digging holes for irrigation for paths, cleaning up paths, building small houses and reconstructing bridges for the rangers who travel in the alps. A helicopter would bring five people at a time, as they flew above valleys to their camp headquarters and then hiked to their next destination in extremely cold weather. She said the eight hour days passed quickly and she and her new friends would talk and hike, with cows as their companions.

"We had a lot of fun at night, we'd go out and talk," she said. It was the people she met whom she remembers most.

One night she and her friends slept in the hay in a shelter where cattle raisers used to stay to herd their cattle up in the mountains. "I saw

On The Cover: Margo Leatham of Marion, a junior at Old Rochester Regional High School, holds a pick she used to work with at an environmental leadership camp in the Swiss Alps. While there she spent four weeks with a French speaking family and two weeks at the camp.

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everything I wanted to, I went without expectations," she said.

She said she plans to go back there as soon as she saves up enough money and her host "sister" is planning on visiting next year and possibly bringing some of Margo's friends she met in Switzerland. "I was really fortunate to do this, this was the best summer ever," she said.

Margo, who is a junior at Old Rochester Regional High School said she is thankful to the ORR High School chapter of the American Field Service for sponsoring her trip.

Her parents said they were thrilled to see she had the opportunity to travel. "We know this is the beginning of future trends," her mother said. The Leathams have also opened up their home to a Japanese exchange student, Tomoko Shinagawa, who is staying there for her senior year of high school. The Leathams predict she will have mastered the English language by Christmas and consider her an extended part of the family. When the opportunity rose to host an exchange student, Margo acted quickly and grabbed the necessary paperwork.

"Margo has said she wanted to host an exchange student," Mrs. Leatham said. The family also hosted a French exchange student last year. The

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family praised the AFS for offering their daughter an experience of a lifetime. The only flaw -- there should be a section that sends parents too. Mrs. Leatham said she knew of a few people who would volunteer in a heartbeat.

Applying to go to a foreign country was a little bit like applying to colleges. She had to send pictures, fill out numerous forms describing herself, and send her transcripts. Although Switzerland was her third choice, she is extremely happy she ended up there. In her spare time she plays soccer and enjoys playing her harp which she began studying about 8 years ago.

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Author Spotlight

Monica Crowley: *Nixon Off the Record*

By Kenneth J. Souza

It's not difficult to find yourself re-examining the life of the late President Richard M. Nixon with all the media attention he's been getting of late. Honored by all the surviving former presidents at his funeral in 1994 — who praised him as a foreign policy pioneer — his posthumous image may finally outshine the tarnished tale of the Watergate saga.

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Above:** Author Monica Crowley — who has relatives in both Fairhaven and Mattapoisett, is pictured here with the late Richard M. Nixon. Her new book,* Nixon Off the Record, *was recently published by Random House.* ***See story on page XX.

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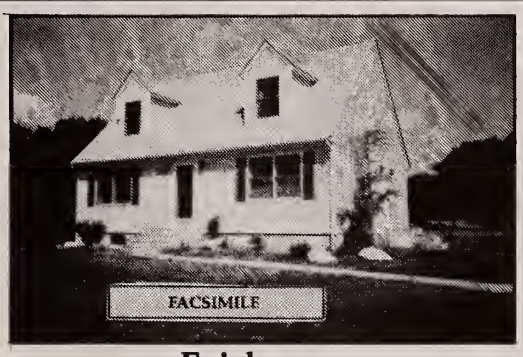

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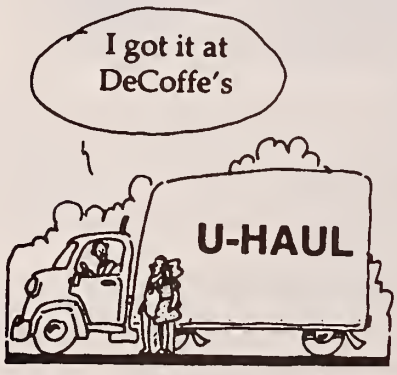

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Nixon Off the Record: His Candid Commentary on People and Politics (Random House, 231 pages, $23), she reveals a complex and personal side to Richard Nixon which few people have had the opportunity to glimpse.

During the summer of 1989 — between her junior and senior years as an undergraduate at Colgate University — Monica Crowley wrote a lengthy letter to Mr. Nixon about his book, *1999: Victory Without War,* which she had just read based on an instructor's recommendation for her foreign policy course. She was clearly impressed with the work and Mr. Nixon's keen sense of international affairs.

"The book had a tremendous impact on my thinking," she said during an interview last week. "I wrote a substantive letter to (Mr. Nixon) because I felt the need to tell the author that the book really had an influence on me. I didn't expect a reply ... but he sent me a handwritten letter thanking me for having read his book. He said that several 'heavyweights' had written to him, but it was clear they hadn't even read it."

Mr. Nixon's reply also included an invitation to visit with him at his New Jersey office for a personal discussion. That surprising two-hour

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conversation on the state of the world led to her permanent position as Mr. Nixon's foreign policy assistant from June, 1990 until his death in 1994.

"We stayed in contact ... and when I graduated in May of 1990 he offered me a job," she said. "It's very much a Cinderella story ... and it has been a great experience for me."

Ms. Crowley said she was initially surprised that Mr. Nixon was so generous with his time and that he seemed to trust her from the very beginning — especially considering his past experience. "Here's a man who had been burned so many times by people he trusted," she said. "But I think he

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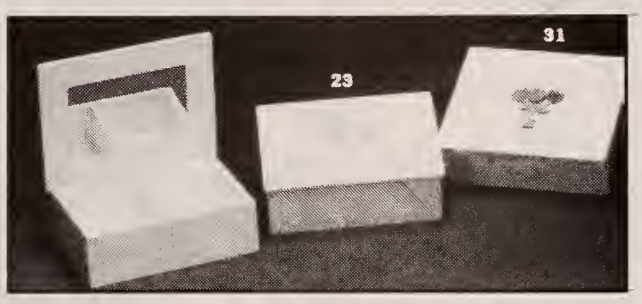

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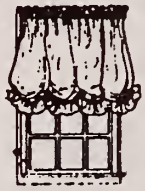

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trusted me because I was young, I was a supporter of his, and I came to him without an agenda. He also liked to stay in touch with what the country was doing and thinking ... and I think he saw me as a conduit between himself and future generations."

Indeed, one surprising revelation in Ms. Crowley's book is how interested — almost obsessed — Mr. Nixon was with current events, politics, and international affairs. He also maintained something of a roller coaster relationship with President Bill Clinton.

"(Mr. Nixon's) relationship with Bill Clinton went through a number of stages," Ms. Crowley said. "When Clinton first announced his candidacy, Nixon considered him a lightweight ... and he thought Clinton represented the worst of his generation. He didn't like (Clinton's) evasion of the draft ... and his active protesting of the war on foreign soil. Nixon told me that people like Clinton made his job difficult.

"But (Nixon did respect) his intelligence and masterful campaign style. (Nixon) told me once that (Clinton) is both charismatic and well-spoken ... he just felt Clinton lacked the experience to become president."

Ms. Crowley noted that President Clinton

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didn't wait long to court Richard M. Nixon. Shortly after the inauguration, she said, President Clinton called Mr. Nixon to seek his advice. "That began a very close relationship which was very surprising to Nixon since he never expected Clinton to call for his advice," Ms. Crowley said. "He said that even if Bill Clinton had wanted to call, he expected (Hillary Rodham) Clinton to oppose it. But Clinton did end up conferring with Richard Nixon every three or four weeks."

According to Ms. Crowley, the relationship between Clinton and Nixon progressed after that

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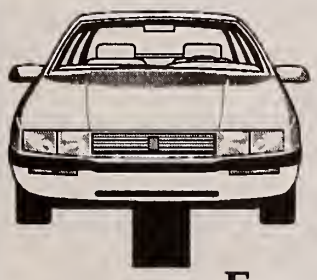

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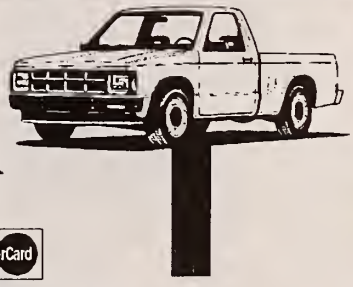

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point. It seemed odd to Nixon, however, that it took a Democratic president to recognize the importance of his foreign savvy. "Both (Ronald) Reagan and (George) Bush had consulted with Nixon, but not as regularly as Clinton," Ms. Crowley said. "Nixon understood there was a problem in consulting with him ... he was a damaged Republican ex-president. But the irony that it took a Democratic president to recognize his worth wasn't lost on him."

Of course, Richard Nixon also had a keen sense that certain controversies surrounding the Clinton presidency were of the same nature as the Watergate scandal. Ms. Crowley said that Nixon was bothered by the fact that a Democratic president involved in a very similar situation was being treated with kid gloves.

"Nixon looked at the Whitewater investigation in the same way that people looked at Watergate," Ms. Crowley said. "(Nixon) said: 'Our people mustn't let this issue go down ... they mustn't let it sink.' He wanted Whitewater to be as scrutinized as Watergate was. He knew he had done wrong, he admitted to it, and he took accountability for it.

"Nixon passed away in 1994, so he didn't know as much about Whitewater as we do now ... but his political antennae were so acute that he detected the political double-standard was out there protecting the Democrats and persecuting the Republicans. He felt the same realistic, high standards should be applied to (everyone)."

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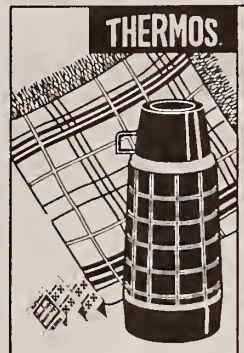

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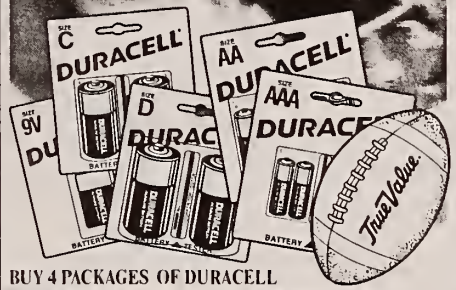

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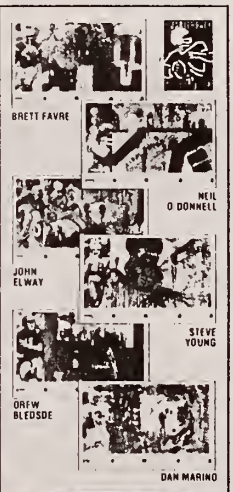

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the upcoming presidential election, Ms. Crowley noted that having known both candidates very well he would support Bob Dole. "Nixon and (Bob) Dole had been friends and colleagues for years ... they came from the same background and political philosophy," Ms. Crowley said. "Nixon felt Dole was far better qualified than Clinton for the presidency. He once described (Dole) as having head, heart and guts — which he translated as intelligence, compassion and courage."

In her four years as Nixon's foreign policy assistant, Ms. Crowley also learned a great deal about the former president's experiences during the dark days of the Watergate scandal — much of which will be presented in a follow-up volume to be published next year. She also took the opportunity to criticize Oliver Stone's recent biopic, *Nixon*, which she felt was completely inaccurate in its portrayal of Richard Nixon.

"It's funny, because there's a passage in the book where I discussed seeing Oliver Stone's *JFK* and (Nixon) asked me why I would give Oliver Stone $7," she said. "*Nixon* struck me as a gross misrepresentation of what Nixon was ... he was not an alcoholic, pill-popping president. Even the relationship between Nixon and his wife was not

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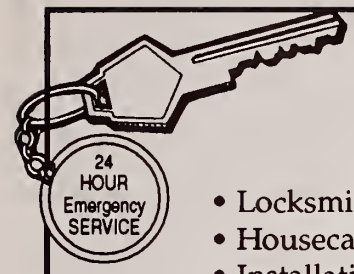

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Ms. Crowley said she is concerned that many people will accept Oliver Stone's vision as historical fact. "The danger here is even though Stone admits his films are a blend of fact and fiction, people who don't know enough about the era think it's historical truth," she said. "He took a lot of liberties in depicting Nixon ... and people are going to walk out of the theater thinking what they've seen is correct."

Oddly enough, Ms. Crowley confirmed that one surreal event presented in Oliver Stone's film — a scene in which President Nixon confronts Vietnam War protestors inside the Lincoln Memorial — really

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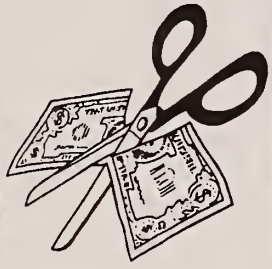

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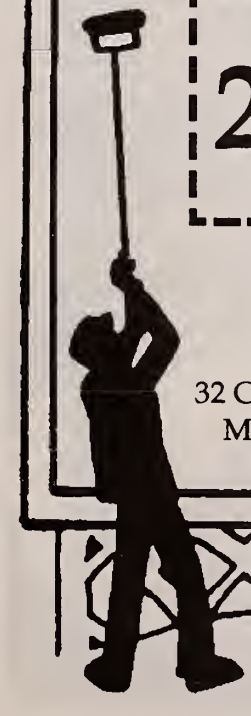

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did happen. "That's true ... it happened early one morning when Nixon couldn't sleep," she said. "He had his driver take him to the Lincoln Memorial to talk with the protestors."

Ms. Crowley noted Nixon often confided that he felt saddled with the Vietnam War and he did everything he could to end it. "He really inherited a disastrous situation with Vietnam," Ms. Crowley said. "Lyndon Johnson and Bob McNamara initiated the failed military strategy ... he felt it was a noble cause which was executed incorrectly."

As one of Nixon's closest advisers during his final years, Ms. Crowley said that the same qualities which gained him the White House also drove him in the twilight of life. "He always wanted to do the best he could, whenever he could," she said. "I also think Nixon knew that his personal rehabilitation was a secondary but no less important goal. What he did, he did for the country first, but also for himself."

When asked if she felt Nixon was obsessed with his place in American history, she said she didn't think he was so much obsessed as he was frustrated. "By the end of his life, Nixon had come to terms with who he was," she said. "But there was only so much he could do to control how people viewed him. I think he did his best in his post-presidential years to evaluate and change that."

A resident of New Jersey — where she spent most of her life growing up — Ms. Crowley's area relatives include Stanley and Patricia Baron of Fairhaven, and her uncle is the owner of Oxford

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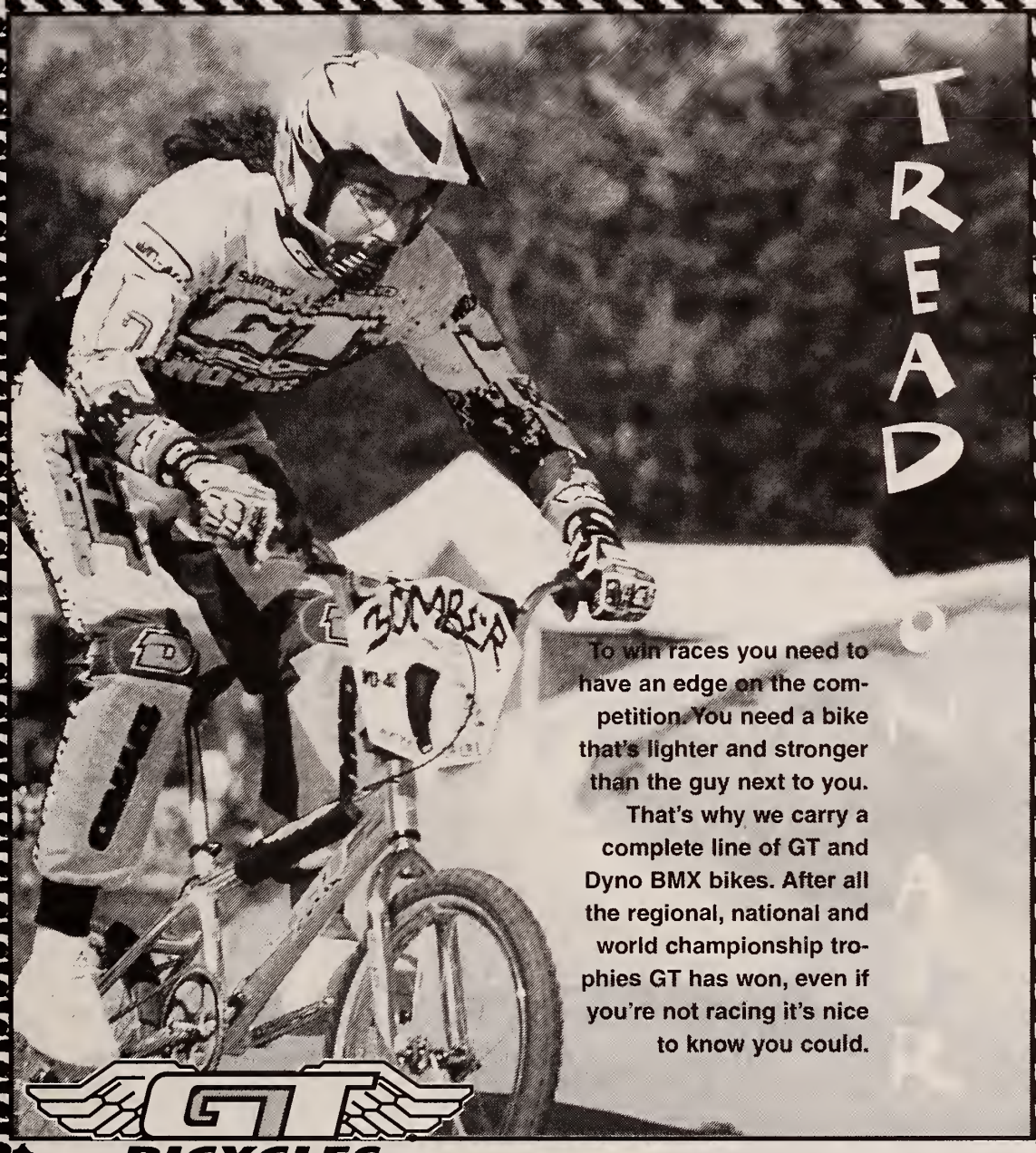

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Ms. Crowley is currently working on her doctoral dissertation at Columbia University in International Relations. She is preparing to write a second volume of collected conversations with Richard M. Nixon which will focus on his thoughts and activities regarding foreign policy, the end of the Cold War, the Persian Gulf War, his views on political scandals, and, appropriately enough, the Kennedy family of Massachusetts. "It will also deal with Nixon more on a personal side," Ms. Crowley said. The book is expected to hit stores in the fall of 1997.

Once she completes her graduate work at Columbia University, Ms. Crowley hopes to embark on other future writing projects — and possibly even venture into politics. "I don't know ... I really enjoyed writing this book," she said. "I'd like to continue to observe and write about American politics ... maybe even enter the arena myself."

Mattapoisett Selectmen's Meeting

September 10, 1996

By Dionne F. Richmond

A regular meeting of the Mattapoisett Board of Selectmen was called to order on Tuesday, September 10 at 7:00 pm by Chairman John DeCosta. Also present were Selectman Michele Bernier and secretary Melody

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The board reviewed meetings scheduled throughout the week which included a post-storm meeting to be held at the Town Hall Conference Room on Monday, September 16th at 7:00 pm. It was also noted that the deadline for applications to fill the vacancy on the Conservation Commission created by the resignation of Daniel Bungert is Monday, September 16th.

After approving the minutes of the September 3, 1996 meeting the Board met with Mattapoisett Librarian Sue Tweedy to discuss a part-time library technician position. Ms. Tweedy explained the 15 hour per week job would help provide extra coverage and fulfill ADA requirements along with continuing to provide their normal services. The town has already voted for the $5,070 increase in the library budget to fund the position. Selectmen unanimously approved the hiring of a part-time library technician who will be

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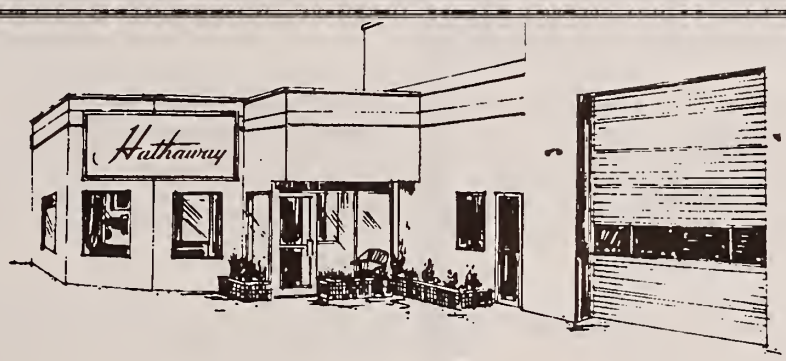

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paid $6.50 an hour position. Selectman Bernier asked if this would lead to an increase in the hours the library will stay open. Ms. Tweedy said it was a possibility and agreed to advertise the new hours as soon as they become effective.

Under incoming correspondence for the week the board received a letter from the Department of Public Utilities announcing that they have implemented advanced information systems allowing filings to be made electronically over the Department's Bulletin Board System.

The Board also received a copy of a letter from Diolinda and George Avila sent to the Water and Sewer Department Superintendent William Nicholson. The letter stated that their house was built in 1906 and they have never had problems with cellar flooding until September 8th, when they bailed six inches of water from their cellar. They wrote that they were concerned about the new water line installed from Hammond and Pearl Streets that extended to their property.

"Last July 1995, you approached me concerning the project of a new water line from Hammond and Pearl Streets line to our property. I showed you the property line and called your attention to the drain from our cellar, to the town drain. You assured me the workmen would be told, and I need to worry.

"The drain is not free, nothing will flow out (due to damage during construction). My wife and I gave the town this wide piece of land, from the south line of the laundromat to Route 6, this included the width of sidewalks on both sides, and we were promised they would replace our original drain, which ran the length of Pearl Street to Hammond. We also

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Mr. Nicholson responded to their letter and said he was certain the replacement of the water main by the water department did not damage their cellar drain. "Our department installed the water main during the summer of 1994 and if we had damaged the drain you would have had a problem before this. The permanent pavement repair which included the section of your driveway that was disturbed by the construction was done in the summer of 1995. This repair was done by a contractor hired by the town.

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A memo was also sent from the Planning Board stating they will appoint applicants to the Master Plan Study Group in the near future.

The Board also received information form Corporate Environmental Advisors, Inc. regarding the unauthorized access to the treatment Implementation at the Mattapoisett Police Station. The letter states that during a recent visit CEA discovered that the locks on the RAM treatment shed and fenced area had been cut-off. Upon conversation with Thomas Quigley, site LSP, the CEA believes that a town employee cut the locks to gain access to the treatment area. The letter also states that CEA wishes to insure that the town is fully aware that until Town employees cease unauthorized access, that CEA will not be liable for any real or potential physical and environmental damage that occurs during or as a result of unauthorized access.

Registration was also received for the 1996 Annual Meeting of the Plymouth County Development Council for Monday, to be held on September 30th at 11:30 am at the Sheraton Inn in Plymouth. The full board has committed to attend.

The Board also received a letter from the Division of Marine Fisheries for the opening of shellfishing at Aucoot Cove and the closure of shellfishing to the northwest end of Aucoot Cove.

A letter was also received from town resident

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At 7:20 pm the Board met with Doug Cameron from the Public Access Board of the Division of Marine Fisheries and Wildlife (DMF) to discuss the ramp repairs. He informed Selectmen that all of the necessary permits gave been granted, but there are two other projects they are committed to work on before they begin ramp repairs in Mattapoisett. He said the

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construction schedule for the DMF is extremely tight and they are working on two jobs presently. Diminished funds will probably prolong the work from being done in this fiscal year. "We're not getting as much as in past years. Construction is not likely in this fiscal year," Mr. Cameron said.

He said the DMF will contact the town as soon as they learn of the construction date because he is aware, "it may or may not be a good time for you." He noted that concrete is hard to pour in the winter and that there is a busy time launching boats in the summer. "It's usually in the spring of in the fall, that's usually the way it works," he said. The project will take about three to four months and will cost between $250,000 to $275,000 to complete. Timber floats will be added to make it more convenient for loading and unloading and will help physically challenged people, Mr. Cameron explained. The ramp was originally state funded but the town manages it for the state, so it is eligible for funding to repair it.

Chairman DeCosta suggested the Harbormaster take a look at the plans. The board will also consider submitting a bond bill to help speed up the process.

There being no further business, the board unanimously voted to adjourn at 7:45 pm.

Marion Selectmen's Meeting

September 10, 1996

By Kenneth J. Souza

A regular meeting of the Marion Board of Selectmen was called to order on Tuesday, September 10 at 7:00 pm by Chairman Jonathan "Jody" Dickerson.

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Also present were Selectman Albert E. Winters, Executive Secretary Ray Pickles, and Secretary Helene Craver.

After approving the minutes of the September 3 meeting and the weekly treasury warrant, the board reviewed incoming correspondence for the week, beginning with a memo from Ray E. Pickles regarding recent bid openings on Taber Hall.

According to Mr. Pickles, as of 10:00 am that morning, no bids were submitted at the minimum asking price of $175,000 despite intense interest in the property over the last month. Mr. Pickles suggested that the board consider reducing the price — especially

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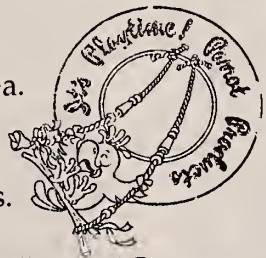

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when taking into account the uncertainty of the Holmes Brook wetlands project proposed at the rear of the building — and also rezoning the property to Limited Business from Residence Zone A.

"In discussing the possible zoning changes with the Planning Board, I think we should also consider that the current by-laws do not allow for inns anywhere in town," Mr. Pickles said. "I think it might be economically viable to consider allowing a seven or nine room inn." Under Marion's existing by-laws, a Bed and Breakfast type establishment is limited to four rooms. Anything with five to ten rooms would fall into an inn category.

Mr. Pickles also suggested the board consider expanding the existing lot by 11,000 square feet, which would encompass the wetlands and have less of an impact on the circular driveway at the front of the building.

"I think we really need to meet with the Buzzards Bay Action Committee (BBAC) to find out what design they have in mind for the Holmes Brook project," Selectman Winters said. "I know the BBAC is in a state of flux right now ... but I think we need to know if the project has been assigned to anyone."

The board agreed the best thing to do was get specifics on the proposed Holmes Brook stormwater remediation project before soliciting further bids on the property as this project is going to have serious impact on the future owners of Taber Hall. "I really don't think the area would be viable enough for a lagoon large enough to cleanse the stormwater runoff," Mr. Pickles said.

Ms. Craver noted that a scheduled meeting with the Cemetery Commissioners for this evening had

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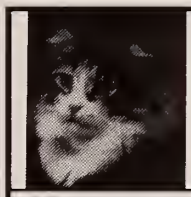

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been postponed to allow them time to prepare. The Commissioners agreed to contact the board to reschedule at a later date.

The board received a request from George "T.J." Walker, Trustee of Louge Nominee Trust, asking for permission to tie into the town's sewer line on Point Road near Cross Neck. The proposed sewer project would include the installation of individual primer pumps at each house and the extending of 1,700 feet of sewer line to service 13 potential tie-ins, including the Little Marion Golf Course. The $25,000 cost would be split among three landowners along the road.

Mr. Pickles said he talked to Department of Public Works (DPW) Superintendent Rob Zora about

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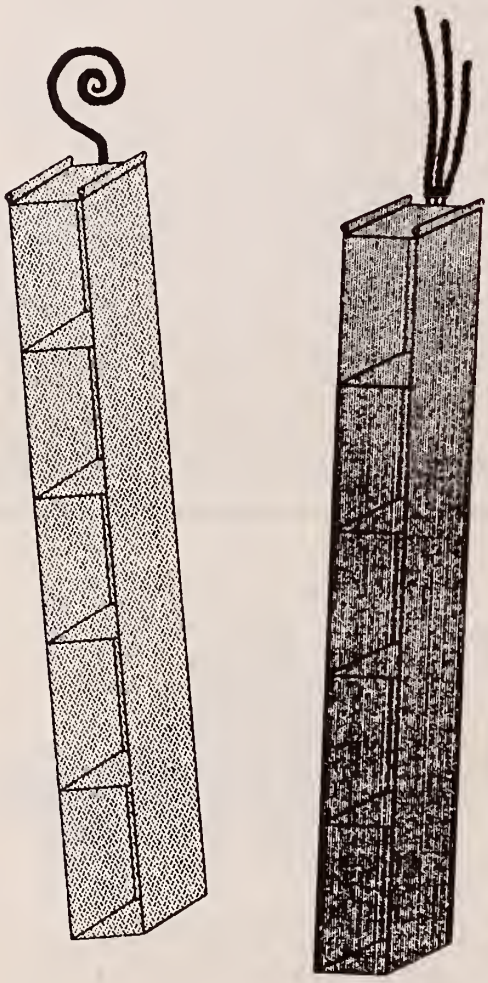

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this project, and he recommended using an online pump with an alarm as opposed to a positive displacement pump which would keep pumping in the event of an overflow. He said that the plans — as prepared by engineer Arthur Thompson — would handle the capacity with a two-inch line.

Selectman Winters said he wanted to find out what the maximum the line could handle before approving the tie-in. He was looking toward the opportunity for residents to tie into the line in the future. Chairman Dickerson said they would take the request under advisement until that time.

At 7:15 pm the board met with State Representative William Straus to discuss some local and regional concerns. The first issue Chairman Dickerson wanted to discuss was the possibility of getting state funding for renovations and repairs to County Road (Route 6). Rep. Straus explained that the state has several categories for road projects — they allow for regional funding for county roads, and funding for roads which are "major rural connectors" between several communities.

"A good example of this would be New Bedford Road in Rochester," Rep. Straus said. "But, unfortunately, County Road is not considered either a major rural connector ... or even a minor rural connector. It's truly defined as a local road."

Chairman Dickerson argued that the road is interesting because it links three communities in the immediate area and if only one or two towns decide to make repairs within their own border, it would leave up to three inches of uneven grade which could create a safety hazard. Mr. Pickles also noted that the designation of County Road as a "local road" was

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"I really think the designation needs to be reviewed," Mr. Pickles said. "If they put a traffic counter (on County Road), they'd find that traffic has significantly increased in the last 20 years."

Rep. Straus agreed to check with the Massachusetts Highway Department and the Southeastern Regional Planning and Economic Development District (SRPEDD), which evaluates roads throughout the state, to see if there was any chance of getting County Road upgraded to a rural connector so that state funding could be allocated in the future.

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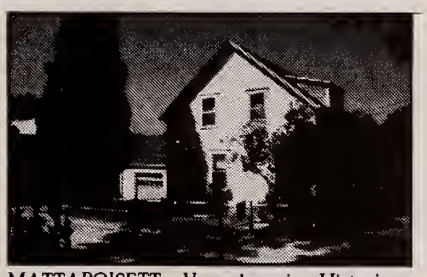

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The board also asked about plans for creating a regional Bike Path between Fairhaven, Mattapoisett, and Marion. According to Rep. Straus, under the Open Space Bond Bill, the state has identified 15 potential bike path projects throughout the state — one of which is the Fairhaven/Mattapoisett/Marion project.

"I've spoken to the Department of Environmental Management (DEM), who would authorize money for the project," Rep. Straus said. "They told me the towns didn't have to all come in on the project at once. They also tend to allocate monies for design and planning, but not for construction — much like the Herring Weir restoration project in Mattapoisett."

Rep. Straus noted that Mattapoisett has already formed a Bike Path Committee which has been meeting on a regular basis. "From North Street (in Mattapoisett) easterly to Marion, no one seems to have a clear route in mind," he said. "The committee is wrestling with where the path would connect in Marion."

Mr. Pickles noted that Route 6 would probably make the most sense in that students could travel to and from ORR High School along the Bike Path. He also asked if the DEM would look favorable on allocating money to purchase the right of way to the existing railroad line which is being considered for the bike path.

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"We don't own the right of way to the railroad," Mr. Pickles said. "If we could purchase the parcel of land to gain access to the railroad ... it would solve many problems, including freeing up some space for fishermen to park their trailers."

Rep. Straus said the DEM is usually more interested in helping with land acquisition than construction on projects like this. "Right now, you have a local decision to make about the Bike Path," Rep. Straus said. "No one is mandating anything ... but I'm sure the Mattapoisett Bike Path Committee will be coming to you to find out where they should link to Marion."

Selectman Winters also asked if Rep. Straus could look into allocating money from the recently-approved Transportation Bond Bill, some of which was earmarked for the Buzzards Bay Action Committee (BBAC). Rep. Straus agreed to check on the status of the funds and whether or not they were specifically allocated for fiscal year 1996 or not.

After listening to some other concerns from town residents who were present at the meeting, Rep. Straus agreed to report back to the board in writing on these issues as soon as possible. He also said he would keep them abreast of the progress with the Bike Path project and any other related regional issues.

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• Request from Rosemary Phillips of Delano Road to assist with an ongoing drainage problem on her property. Mr. Pickles said he would inspect the property with DPW Superintendent Rob Zora later in the week to see what could be done.

• Notification from Shellfish Officer Charles Bradley that the Massachusetts Division of Marine Fisheries has amended the "no shellfishing" area in Aucoot Cove on the north end of Haskell's Island to include "a straight line from 108 Aucoot Road in the Town of Mattapoisett to the northeast terminous of Haskell's Island in the Town of Marion to an orange marker on the marsh."

• Letter of interest from Albert M. Cordeiro of Edgewater Lane expressing his interest in filling a vacancy on the Marion School Committee in the wake of Mona Murphy's recent resignation. The deadline for applying for the vacancy is September 17. Interested residents should contact the Selectmen's Office, c/o Marion Town House.

• Notification from the Marion Conservation Commission that it was determined at their September 4 meeting that the current treatment of road runoff on Lot 17, Subdivision Lot 1 located at 543 Delano Road is inadequate. "The drain pipe on Lot 1 is currently compressed, below grade, and directs road runoff and its associated pollutants directly into the bordering resource area," the letter stated. The board voted to place this letter on file.

There being no further matters to come before the board, they unanimously voted to adjourn for the evening at 8:20 pm.

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Rochester Selectmen's Meeting

September 9, 1996

By Jennifer J. Ouellette

A regular meeting of the Rochester Board of Selectmen was called to order on Monday, September 9 at 7:07 pm by Chairman Lorraine Roy Hawkes. Also present were Selectman Richard D. Cutler, Selectman William Chamberlain, and Secretary Veronica Lafreniere. The board approved the minutes of the September 3 meeting unanimously and then continued with the evening's appointments.

The meeting opened with a moment of silence for several local residents who recently passed away. Condolences were offered for the family and friends of Joanne Thayer, Melissa Duarte and the father of Rochester Assessor John Mello.

The first appointment was scheduled with Stephen St. John regarding a complaint that he was

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At 7:00 pm Mr. St. John came before the board and informed them that he does have a welding business but none of his work comes home with him. He continued by saying that any work done in his garage was for his own personal enjoyment and does not get sold. Mr. St. John also brought several letters from his neighbors. All of his abutters had nothing but good things to say about Mr. St. John.

The letters included one from Bruce Stark, who said that Mr. St. John's activities are not disrupting the "peacefulness and serenity" that is expected in the Town of Rochester. Also, Chet and Casie Boboricki wrote a letter that said that the noise from the St. John home is no louder than the sound of a lawn mower. Considering that no other neighbors were being disturbed, Selectman Cutler motioned to send a letter to Mr. Silvera explaining that Mr. St. John is abiding by the rules of his zoning

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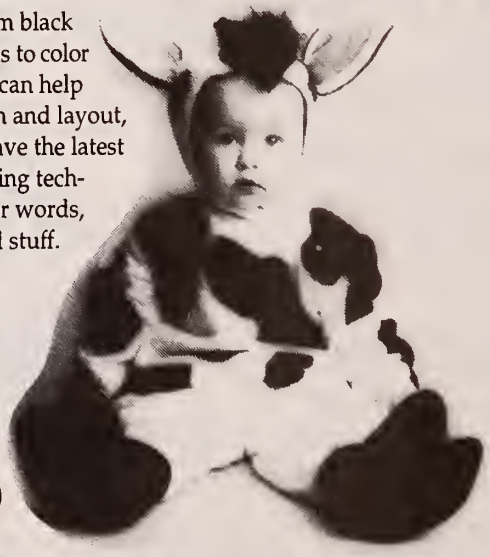

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permit. Selectman Chamberlain added to the motion and said that if Mr. Silvera still has a problem, he can come in to see the board and they will review the evidence with him. The motion was unanimously approved.

At 7:15 pm the board met with Diane C. Wood who updated them on the progress of the Rochester Land Trust. Ms. Wood began by saying that the research and progress on the building of a land trust is "moving along very rapidly." She also said that she has done some research on land trusts to see what kind of trust she would like to form. "I think we will be a very active land trust," she said. She also informed the board of a meeting on Sunday, October 6 at 1:00 pm (tentatively at the Rochester Grange Hall) to get recommendations for residents to serve on the Master Planning Board. For the board they are seeking out "active involvement from town officials." The meeting will also have entertainment, refreshments and some speakers.

At 7:20 pm the board appointed Roxanne Costa to the Zoning Board of Appeals unanimously. Ms. Costa was sworn in that evening.

The last appointment of the night was with Mr. Louis Gallo, who had questions regarding his continued Earth Removal Permit.

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A request from the board was made to begin correspondence with number nine on the list — which was a memo regarding Rochester's COPS FAST and COPS UHP grants. The memo was to explain to the board that both grants were assigned the same number and therefore funds will be drawn from the same account. The memo also included this account number. The first grant is in its second year and is 70 percent federally-funded and 30 percent town-funded. The second grant is 90 percent federally-funded and 10 percent town-funded.

The board unanimously voted to promote Russell Oliveira to Senior Officer, and he will be covered by the first grant, giving him seniority over William Watson who was also appointed that evening. Seniority was given to the man with the earlier date on his application.

Also under incoming correspondence for the week, the board received:

• A memo requesting the waiver of several ambulance fees. The request was granted unanimously.

• A memo from Town Clerk Naida Parker, who was requesting that the board appoint the Town Clerk as supervisor of the vaults. The vaults will undergo some cleaning due to an accident in which

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the shelving in the vault pulled away from the wall. The supervisor would be responsible for overseeing the clean-up of the vault to ensure that this type of accident does not occur again. Selectman Chamberlain stated that he appreciated Ms. Parker's offer, but would like to see someone from the board supervising the project. Chairman Hawkes volunteered to be supervisor.

• A memo from Geographic Information Systems (GIS), which included the $23,500 mapping grant which required the Selectmen's signatures.

• A memo from Regional Conservation Agent Laurell J. Farinon requesting that Selectman

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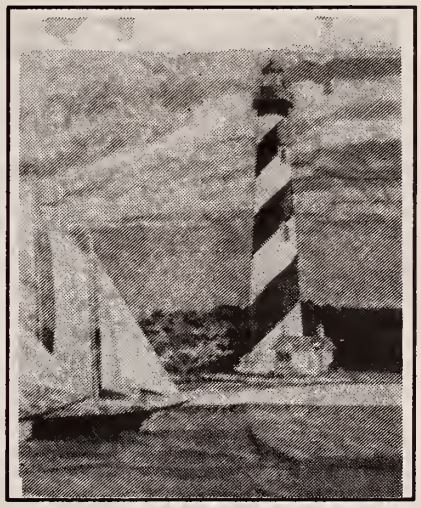

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Richard Cutler be designated the "authorized signatory for the Master Plan Committee for allocations from both the Master Plan account and the Master Plan gift account." This designation will give Selectman Cutler the ability to provide the Master Plan Committee with money for printing and mailing of a town growth survey within the next two weeks.

• A letter from the Nemasket Group, Inc. requesting permission for a water station at Gifford Park on September 28 for bikers. The group will need room for two or three tables for refreshments as well at the park's bathroom facilities. The board granted the request with the stipulation that the Nemasket Group get authorization from the Park Department and also inform the Police Department of their plans.

Next the board members signed and approved the warrant for Special Town Meeting to be held on Monday, September 30, and also a request from Joseph Thompson for an Auctioneer's License. Voters will be asked to consider 12 articles on the Special Town Meeting warrant, including: $2,000 to fund a Zoning Enforcement Officer; transfer custody and control of a portion of the town-owned land on Dexter Lane to the Council on Aging for a senior

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center; transfer custody and control of a portion of the town-owned land on Dexter Lane to the Park Commissioners for a playground; and banning the use internal combustion powered outboard motors on Snipatuit Pond.

Under Old Business, the board brought up an appointment that was scheduled with the Finance Committee (FinCom) to review the Special Town Meeting warrant next Monday, September 16. The warrant has already been signed because it needs to be posted, therefore the board is going to send a letter to FinCom Chairman Pat Ryan informing her that unfortunately the warrant had to be signed before she and her committee had a chance to review it with the board.

Under New Business, Selectman Cutler informed the board and audience of the progress on the new Old Rochester Regional High School track facility. He said that if the weather cooperates, the paving should begin this week.

Selectman Cutler also brought up another new issue before the board. He questioned whether or not there is a By-Law regarding the height limit on towers in Rochester. It was discovered that in residential/agricultural areas, the tower has to be at least as far away from abutting property as its height

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— so that if the tower should fall it will remain on its own land. However, there is no By-Law for industrial/commercial zones. Selectman Cutler suggested that a By-Law addition or amendment be suggested to the Planning Board.

With no further matters to come before the board, they unanimously voted to adjourn for the evening at 9:49 pm.

Mattapoisett Police Log

The following log excerpts are for the dates of September 2-7, 1996.

- Water Street--threats, simple
- County Road--medical ambulance request
- Oliver Street--suspicious activity
- Harvey Orchard Lane--threats, simple
- Tobey Lane--209A service
- Church Street--larceny
- Richard Lane--domestic abuse, neglect
- Pico Beach--larceny
- Fairhaven Road--larceny
- North Street--motor vehicle accident
- Prospect Road--harassing phone calls
- Tinkham Lane--suspicious motor vehicle
- Avenue A--suspicious activity
- Mattapoisett Neck Road--motor vehicle accident
- Marion Road--larceny, purse snatching
- Alderberry Lane--larceny

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- Cushman Road--animal control officer issues
- New Bedford Road--suspicious activity
- Mary's Pond Road--dirt bikes
- Featherbed Lane--wires down
- North Avenue--noise complaint
- Hartley Road--assistance
- Mendall Road--burglary
- Vaughan Hill Road--assistance
- Mattapoisett Road--motor vehicle accident
- New Bedford Road--harassing phone calls
- Walnut Plain Road--suspicious activity
- Walnut Plain Road--domestic

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- Mill Street--animal complaint
- Wareham Road--larceny in progress

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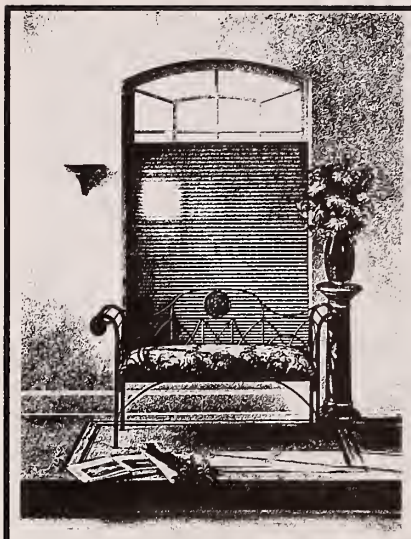

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- Wareham Road--incapacitated person
- Wareham Road--annoying phone calls
- Pawkechatt Way--suspicious activity
- Piney Point Road--noise complaint
- Creek Road--disturbance
- Partridge Place--suspicious motor vehicle
- Front Street--animal complaint
- Wareham Road--motor vehicle theft, past
- Moorings Road--noise complaint
- Point Road--suspicious activity
- Point Road--medical emergency
- Island Wharf Road--parking violation
- Benson Brook Road--suspicious activity
- Front Street--motor vehicle complaint

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YMCA Benefit Golf Tournament

• The second annual **YMCA Charity Golf Tournament** will be held on Thursday, September 26 at the Ballymeade Country Club in North Falmouth, MA. Ballymeade's championship 18-hole golf course has recently been redesigned by **Jim Fazio** and **Chi Chi Rodriguez** to provide a challenging and memorable round of golf for all levels of play.

Chairperson of the event is **Deborah Hynes** of New Bedford. Other committee members include **Patricia Janiak, Loren Milhench, Michael Rutkowski, Eivind Strand, Gary Schuyler,** and **Greg Gouveia.**

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The winning teams were:

• Tied for First Place — **Terry Rondelli, Betty Ann Nolan, Mary Savignano,** and **Betty Carpentiere;** and **Ruth Mamluck, Sally Browning, May Casey,** and **Pat White.**

• Second Place — **Ann Kallio, Bev Cancelliere, Doris Bacchieri,** and **Mary Knehr.**

• Tied for Third Place — **Mitsue Fletcher, Helen Mower, Nancy McKenzie,** and **Peg Linehan; Jean Simmons, Diane Dwareskas, Joan Harrington,** and **Pat Kenney; Lee Guerin, Vera Berry, Lois Amaral,** and **Ada Lukey;** and **Connie Seeley, Mary Doherty, Ann DelGrande,** and **Elsi Silveira.**

The longest drive on #6 was **Bobbie Colpitto** of Otis and **Lee Guerin** of Little Harobr. The closest-to-pin on #1 was **Dot McGowan**'s team for Otis, and **Betty Sullivan**'s team for Little Harbor.

Letters to the Editor

To the Editor:

This Saturday and Sunday, September 14th and 15th, have been designated the 1996 International Days of Prayer and Action for Human Habitat by Habitat for Humanity International (HFHI). Congregations of every faith in Acushnet, Fairhaven, Marion, Mattapoisett, Rochester and Wareham will join others around the world to offer thoughtful prayer and explore opportunities to make decent and affordable housing a matter of conscience.

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Volunteers in the six towns have been hard at work for many months formulating guidelines and preparing the necessary paperwork required to obtain an affiliation status with HFHI. Our affiliate is Buzzards Bay Area Habitat For Humanity (BBAHFH) and provides for local commitment and local control. We look forward to helping our first area family build or renovate a simple, safe affordable home in which to flourish and take pride.

More volunteers are needed. One can help in many ways. Skilled and semi-skilled trades people are needed but equally important are those who are willing to share their time and talent in areas of fund raising, public relations and development, grant writing, typing, bookkeeping, site selection, family selection and family nurturing to name a few.

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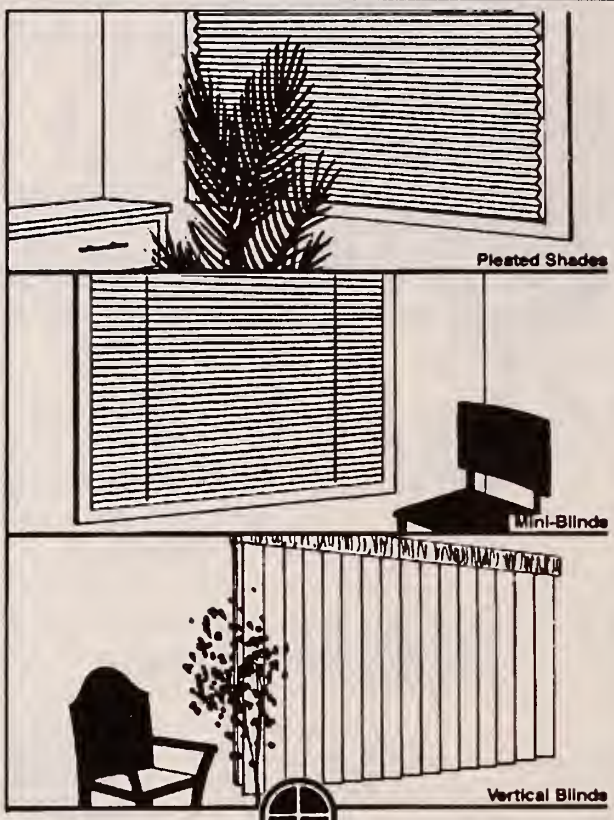

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You can be a Tiger Cub if you are in grade 1; a Cub Scout if you are in grades 2,3,4 and 5; a Boy Scout if you are in grades 6-12. Here is where you sign up--Pack 93 at the Minot Forest School in Wareham on Tuesday, September 10th at 6:30 pm. Pack 40 will meet on Wednesday at the First Congregational Church in Wareham on September 11th at 6:30 pm. Pack 32 will meet at the Sippican Elementary School in Marion on Thursday, September 12th at 7:00 pm. Pack 53 will meet at the Mattapoisett Congregational Church at 6:00 pm on Thursday, September 12 and Pack 93 will meet at the Minot Forest School in Wareham at 6:30 pm also on September 12th. For information on the Mattapoisett Cub Scouts contact Steve at 748-3978 or Christian at 758-4010. You may also contact the Boy Scout Office at 993-9978. The annual registration fee is $17.50 which includes Boys' Life Magazine (12 issues) and accident insurance. Please note that your annual fee

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Old Colony Voke Open House

On Tuesday evening, September 17th the Old Colony Regional Vocational Technical High School will be having orientation for all parents of Freshman students. The program will begin at 6:30 pm. During this time parents will receive an overview of Old Colony's philosophies and policies by the administration. Parents will then proceed through their child's entire program. There will be instructors available for all shops to explain the related and shop programs. This will enable parents to learn of the unique features of each shop. Any questions concerning this program should be directed to Mr. Robert Sherman at 763-8011 extension 27.

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Saturday Teen Club--new club designed for 7th and 8th graders from Fairhaven, Marion and Rochester on Saturdays from 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm. Afternoon School Sports--for 7 weeks enjoy basketball, archery, ropes challenge course, volleyball and soccer. Parents provide transportation.

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Marion Methodist Church Supper

A Smorgasbord Supper will be held on Saturday, September 14th at 5:00 pm. Tickets will be sold at the door--$7 for adults and $4 for children. All are invited to attend.

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Sippican Historical Society

A Canal Park Ranger will present a broad overview of the history and operations of the Cape Cod Canal on Tuesday, September 17th at 7:30 pm at St. Gabriel's Parish Hall, corner of South and Front.

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The formal offering will give a broad overview of the early Canal building project under August Belmont's private company, the Corps' massive rehabilitation of the bankrupt waterway during the 1930s and the present-day operations of the computerized marine traffic control system. Refreshments will be served. Programs are open to the public and are free of charge.

ORR High School Driver Education

Enrollment for the next Driver Education class at Old Rochester Regional High School is now taking place. A student must be 16 years of age or older to enroll. Students from ORR will be given first available seats as the program is a school sponsored program.

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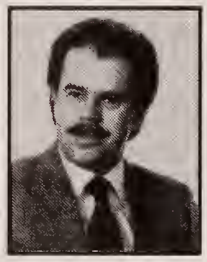

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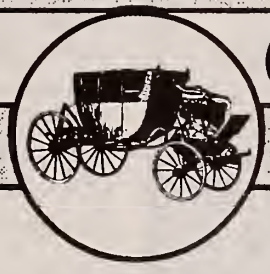

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Mattapoisett Public Library

Registration for the Fall Preschool Story Hour at the Mattapoisett Public Library will take place in the Children's Room beginning Tuesday, September 17th. The program is for children ages 3-5 and consists of stories, fingerplays, music and simple crafts. Children may be registered for the afternoon program on Wednesdays from 1:00 pm to 1:45 pm or the morning program on Fridays from 10:30 pm to 11:15 pm. There will be seven story hours in the fall session which will begin on October 9th and 11th and end on November 20th and 22nd.

StoryTime For Two-Year Old

Registration for Storytime for two-year-olds will take place in the Children's Room beginning on Tuesday, September 24th. The 30 minute program is for two-year-olds accompanied by an enthusiastic adult and will consist of stories, fingerplays, puppets, music and quiet time for sharing books together. Only the child who is registered may attend storytime. The four-week session will take place on Thursday mornings from 10:30 am to 11:00 am. Program dates are October 17th, 24th and November 7th and 14th.

Tobey Hospital Guild

The Tobey Hospital Guild will start the season with a luncheon on September 26th at 12:30 pm at the Lobster Bowl in Wareham. The charge is $12 per person, and reservation deadline in September 23rd. Please contact Mildred Clark at 295-1968 or Thelma Sequiera at 748-0305. All reservations must be honored.

Executive Board

The Executive Board of the Tobey Guild will meet on Tuesday September 17th at 1:00 pm in the conference room of the hospital.

Wareham Visiting Nurse Flu Clinics

Wareham Visiting Nurse Agency Flu Clinics will be held in the Town Hall Auditorium on October 22 from 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm, November 5 from 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm; October 23 from 5:00 pm to 7:00 pm and November 4th from 5:00 pm to 7:00 pm. Pneumovax will be given to high risk seniors only at the VNA office on a scheduled appointment basis. Please call (508) 295-2040 for an appointment. Only one pneumovax injection is needed in a person's lifetime.

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Burns proves that *She's The One* fish in the sea for him

BY ROB GONSALVES

• ***She's The One*. Starring Edward Burns, Cameron Diaz, and Jennifer Aniston. Directed by Edward Burns. Running time: 96 minutes. MPAA rating: R. At General Cinema 8 in North Dartmouth.**

Edward Burns has been called the Irish-Catholic Woody Allen, and in some respects he earns the title. Allen's humor is suffused with guilt, neurosis, family dysfunction, and the eternal craziness between men and women. Burns works the same side of the street. He isn't Jewish like Woody, but urban Jews and urban Irish-Catholics share a knack for expecting the worst — think of Denis Leary's rants — and finding it funny.

She's The One, Burns' follow-up to last year's witty *The Brothers McMullen*, continues his wry examination of Irish machismo and its growing irrelevance in the '90's. In both movies, grown sons are warped by their fathers' neolithic approach to women; these twentysomethings either reject the old man's example or follow his advice, and neither tactic guarantees happiness.

Burns, a natural and engaging actor himself, here plays Mickey, a New York cabbie who took off for three years after finding his fiancée Heather (Cameron Diaz) in a questionable position with a man whose hairy butt has become legendary. Mick's brother Francis (Mike McGlone, from *McMullen*) is a Wall Street sleazo who's cheating on his wife Rene (Jennifer Aniston). The woman he's cheating with, it turns out, is Heather.

Meanwhile, Mickey picks up a beautiful bartender named Hope (Maxine Bahns, Burns' real-life partner), who is going to a wedding in New Orleans and wants Mick to drive her. En route, they get married. This part of the movie is problematic for two reasons: We're never sure of Hope's motives — is she using Mickey? — and Bahns, although not a bad actress, reads her lines as if doing just that: reading them.

For a while, I was afraid *She's The One* was headed for the can't-trust-men/can't-trust-women territory staked by the bitter *Short Cuts*, where everyone was an idiot. But Burns doesn't let us hate anyone — not even the arrogant Francis (played with gusto by McGlone), the sort of guy who smugly asks his chauffeur, "Do I look as good as I think I look?" Everyone is allowed to have moments of craziness and sanity.

Burns focuses on the clueless brothers, but he doesn't give the women the short shrift. Heather, for example, could have been an offensive cliché — but she's written (and played by the gifted Diaz) as a vulnerable woman looking for someone who won't pass judgment on her past. These women are daughters of Annie Hall: smart enough not to let men define them, but unsure how to define themselves. But they're models of stability next to the guys.

She's The One begins and ends aboard a small fishing boat where Mick and Francis' dad (John Mahoney, who's great) spends all his time. So much time, in fact, that his own wife finds a way to fill his absence. The boat, I think, is both a joke and metaphor for the way commitment-phobic men always think there are other fish in the sea. At the start, Mickey is still casting about. At the end, he's made an amazing discovery: women are not fish. For these guys, Edward Burns is saying, that's real progress.

MOVIE LISTINGS

■ CINEMA 140
376 Hathaway Road, New Bedford, MA.
Movie Line: 999-6577 / Office: 999-4240.

Friday (September 13) through Thursday (September 19)
The Crow: City of Angels (R) – Fri/Sat/Sun: 7:15, 9:15; Mon-Thu: 9:00
The Spitfire Grill (PG-13) – Fri: 5:00, 7:30, 9:50;
Sat/Sun: 12:00, 2:30, 5:00, 7:30, 9:50; Mon-Thu: 6:30, 9:00
Fly Away Home* (PG) – Fri: 5:00, 7:15, 9:30;
Sat/Sun: 12:00, 2:15, 5:00, 7:15, 9:30; Mon-Thu: 6:30, 8:30
A Time to Kill (R) – Fri: 7:15, Sat: 9:15, Sun: 7:15
Bogus (PG) – Fri: 5:00; Sat/Sun: 12:00, 2:30, 5:00; Mon-Thu: 6:30
Tin Cup (R) – Fri: 5:00, 8:00; Sat/Sun: 12:00, 2:30, 5:00, 8:00;
Mon-Thu: 6:30, 9:00
Maximum Risk* (R) – Fri: 5:00, 7:30, 10:00;
Sat/Sun: 12:00, 2:30, 5:00, 7:30, 10:00; Mon-Thu: 6:30, 9:00
Feeling Minnesota* (R) – Fri: 5:00, 7:15, 9:15;
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Friday (September 13) through Thursday (September 19)
A Very Brady Sequel (PG-13) – 1:30, 3:30, 5:30, 7:30, 9:30
Rich Man's Wife (R) – 2:10, 4:50, 7:00, 9:10
She's The One (R) – 2:00, 4:40, 7:20, 9:30
Independence Day (PG-13) – 1:50, 5:00, 8:00
Bulletproof (R) – 1:30, 3:30, 5:20, 7:10, 9:00
First Kid (PG) – 2:10, 4:30, 6:50, 9:00
Jack (PG-13) – 1:50, 4:15, 6:40, 9:20
Emma (PG) – 1:40, 4:20, 6:50, 9:10

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Mattapoisett Firefighters Auxiliary

The Mattapoisett Firefighters Auxiliary will hold an open house to celebrate their 25th anniversary on Wednesday, September 18th from 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm at the Mattapoisett Fire Station, 26 County Road in Mattapoisett.

Mattapoisett Council On Aging

Shine Counselor

The Shine Counselor will be at the Senior Center on Monday, September 16th from from 11:00 pm to 1:00 pm. If you would like to make an appointment call 758-4110.

Mall Trip

The next mall trip will be on Thursday, September 19th to the Galleria in Taunton. Please call the office at 758-4110 if you are interested in going. Also, if you have signed up for the trip and are unable to go please let Cynthia know as there are always others who wish to go.

Volunteers Needed

We need someone to do weekly grocery shopping for some of the Seniors in Mattapoisett. Please call Cynthia if you would be willing to do this. We are also looking for someone to donate a roll-away cot. If you have one you are not using we would greatly appreciate it.

Cribbage Club

The Cribbage Club will meet on Thursdays from 1:30 pm to 3:00 pm beginning on September 26th. If you are interested in joining the group please call 758-4110.

Marion Art Center

An exhibition of recent paintings by Laura Fayer-Evans opens at the Marion Art Center on Sunday, September 29th with a reception to meet the artist from 4:00 pm to 6:00 pm. The title of the show, "Borderline Nature," describes a series of paintings which highlights her continuing exploration of scientific discovery and the union of art with the vital process of nature. The oil and mixed media paintings are striking for their rich colors, juicy textures and quirky biological references. Her painting "Severed Limbs" presents an irregular pattern of abstracted crab claws which are at once graceful and primitive. Fayer-Evans has been included in numerous group shows in the Boston-Provincetown area. She has studied at Harvard University and the Boston Museum School, and served an apprenticeship at the Printmaking

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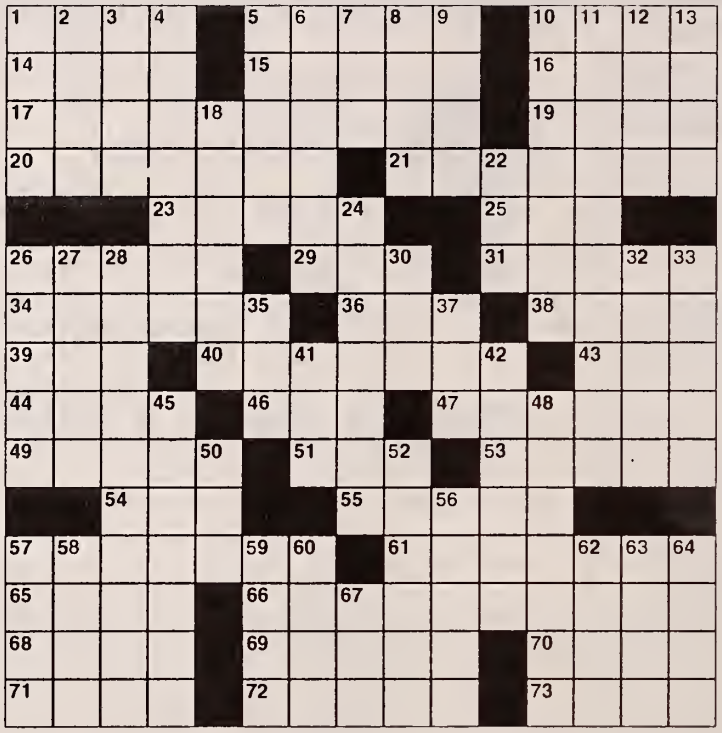

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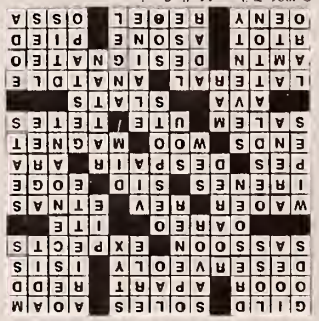

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This Week's Horoscope

by Linda Black

Weekly Tip: Do jobs that require intense concentration, while the moon's in Scorpio. Anticipate changes.

Aries (March 21-April 19). Dues and fees dig deep into your savings. You may even go over into the debit column. Sports activities could lead to great friendships and maybe even romance.

Taurus (April 20-May 20). These days are very productive — if you and your partner work together instead of arguing. Shop carefully and find an amazing treasure.

Gemini (May 21-June 21). Stick to business — no excuses. A change in roommates or something about your living arrangements disrupts your schedule.

Cancer (June 22-July 22). Watch for a passionate person's playful glance. This could be the start of something big. Don't make a date — you won't have time.

Leo (July 23-Aug. 22). Make decisions concerning your family and/or living arrangements. A sports date leads to a pleasant surprise. Check your work carefully.

Virgo (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). A friend can help you with a difficult assignment. Let people know what you need. Your room could get all messed up. Don't freak out.

Libra (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). Money comes in and goes out in rapid succession. Channel some of it into savings. Discuss lofty ideas with a fascinating person.

Scorpio (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). Your team will win, due to your inspired coaching. Focus on finances or you'll wonder where the money went.

Sagittarius (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). Comply with bureaucratic regulations. It's not worth the bother to argue. Your opinion will carry more weight soon.

Capricorn (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). Your friends can get you the inside information. Consult a supervisor in private and catch a potential problem before it gets bigger.

Aquarius (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). You can't win an argument with a stubborn person. Wait and achieve your goal by going through friends.

Pisces (Feb. 19-March 20). You and your supervisor are on different wavelengths, especially when discussing religion or philosophy. Learn, but also teach.

If You're Having a Birthday This Week: You can learn whatever you want to know this year.

Workshop in New York City. The one-woman show will be on display September 27th to October 23rd. Gallery hours are Tuesday through Friday, 1:00 pm to 5:00 pm and Saturday, 10:00 am to 2:00 pm. Admission is free.

Next Exhibition

The next exhibition will be the Annual Members Show, opening on October 25th. Membership in the Marion Art Center is open to the public. All members in good standing are eligible to submit two pieces, framed ready to hang, for the Members show, with the understanding that at least one will be hung and two if space permits. For more information on membership and other activities at the Art Center, please call 748-1266.

Fall Classes

Watercolor Workshops-Betty Dunlop, instructor (all levels) on Monday mornings from 9:30 am until 12:30 pm, September 9th-October 23rd. Fee is $135 for 6 weeks and $150 for nonmembers.

Drawing-graphite, charcoal, pen and ink, other media (all levels). David Baggarly, instructor on Wednesdays, 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm from September 18th-October 23rd. Fee is $80 for six weeks and $95 for non-members.

After School Art With Andy Anderson-for grades 4-6, Mondays from 4:00 pm to 5:30 beginning September 16th-October 28. Fee is $65 for six weeks or $75 for non-members.

Chinese Brush Painting For Beginners-Jake Lung SooHoo, instructor Wednesdays, 7:00 pm to 8:30 pm or Thursdays, 10:00 am to 11:30 am from September 12-October 17th. Fee is $65 for six weeks or $80 for non-members.

Ballroom Dancing-Nancy and Jim Barrett, instructors (beginner/intermediates) Wednesdays from 7:00 pm to 8:00 pm on September 18-October 23. Fee is $65 and $75 for non-members

Ballet I-(ages 7-10) on Thursdays from 3:30 to 4:30 pm from September 19th-December 12th. Fee is $83, and $95 for non-members.

Ballet I For Adults-Thursdays from 6:15 to 7:30 pm from September 19th-December 12th. Fee is $95, or $105 for non-members.

Dance/Theater: Introduction To Performing Arts (ages 3 & 4) on Mondays from 3:00 to 3:30 pm from September 16th-December 16. Fee is $60, or $75 for non-members.

Jazz For Kids-(ages 7-12) on Mondays from 4:00 to 5:00 pm from September 16th-December 16. Fee is $83 or $95 for non-members.

Modern Jazz Dance For Adults-(beginners) Mondays, 5:30 pm to 6:45 pm from September 16th. Fee is $95 for members or $105 for non-members.

Young People's Theater

Children's Theater (grades 1-3) Exact Day to be announced from 3:30 pm to 4:30 pm. Jessica Shepardson, instructor from September 24-December 17th.Production on December 17th. Fee is $95 or $105 for non-members.

Grades 4-6 will meet from 4:30 to 6:00 pm with the same instructor, beginning on September 25-January 14th, with the exact day to be announced. Production will be on January 17 and 18th. Fee is $135 for members and $150 for non-members.

Teen Theater (grades 7-12) will meet on Thursdays from 4:30 pm to 6:00 pm from September 19 to December 12th. Production will be December 13 and 14th. Kitty Martin will be the instructor. Fee is $110 for members or $125 for non-members.

Call the office at 748-1266 to pre-register for all classes. Private music lessons in piano, voice, clarinet, recorder are also available by appointment.

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INVITATION TO BID
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Sealed bids will be accepted in the Selectmen's Office, Town Hall, 16 Main Street, Mattapoisett until Friday, September 20, 1996 at 3:00 p.m. At that time, separate bids will be opened and read for the exterior painting of Town Hall and for Town Hall roof repairs. Detailed specifications and instructions for bidders may be obtained upon request by contacting the Building Inspector at (508)758-4116.

The Board of Selectmen reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
John N. DeCosta
CHIEF PROCUREMENT OFFICER
09/06, 09/13

TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT
BOARD OF APPEALS
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARINGS

Notice is hereby given that the Mattapoisett Board of Appeals will hold a Public Hearing on the following petitions and applications:

Application of Robert E. & R. Gayle LeBlanc of 3 Ridgewood Road, Mattapoisett, MA 02739 re property located at 3 Ridgewood Road. The applicants are seeking a Special Permit under Section III.A.2.b. of the Zoning By-Law to construct an addition which will not meet the required setbacks. The property is further described as Lot 280, Plat 17 on the Assessors Map. The hearing will be held in the Town Hall Conference Room on Thursday, September 19, 1996 at 7:20 P.M. #776

Application of Elizabeth M. DiCarlo of 37 DeWolf Street, New Bedford, MA 02740 re property located at 8 Prospect Drive. The applicant is seeking a Special Permit under Section III.A.2.b. of the Zoning By-Law to construct a second floor as well as a deck and stairs which will not meet the required setbacks. The property is further described as Lot 115, Plat 5A on the Assessors Map. The hearing will be held in the Town Hall Conference Room on Thursday, September 19, 1996 at 7:40 P.M. #777

Application of James J. and Eleanor Lind of 15 Avenue B, Mattapoisett, MA 02739 re property located at 15 Avenue B. The applicants are requesting an amendment to a Special Permit allowed in 1985 under Section III.A.1. The applicants wish to amend the lot lines permitted in the Judgement so that a 25 foot strip is rejoined with Lot 1. The property is further described as Lot 121A, Plat 2A on the Assessors Map. The hearing will be held in the Town Hall Conference Room on Thursday, September 19, 1996 at 8:00 P.M. #778

Petition and application of Mary A. Farrell and Stuart J. Bloomberg of 156 East 81st Street, New York, NY 10028 re property located at 12 Beach Road and 29 Bay Road. The petitioners are seeking a Variance under Section VI.E. to construct steps to an existing structure which will increase the nonconformity and a Special Permit under Sections III.A.2.a.b. and c. for a substantial extension of a nonconforming use due to the expansion within building line setbacks. The property is further described as Lots 74 and 75, Plat 2A on the Assessors Map. The hearing will be held in the Town Hall Conference Room on Thursday, September 19, 1996 at 8:20 P.M. #779

Application of Robert E. and Mary I. Ringuette of 21 Dupont Drive, Mattapoisett, MA 02739 re property located at 21 Dupont Drive. The applicants are seeking a modification of Board of Appeals Decision #190 dated July 7, 1982 to permit boat pump out facility, boat storage in parking area, use and storage of one unregistered crane truck and storage of boat hauling vehicle. The property is further described as Lot 88, Plat 14B on the Assessors Map. The hearing will be held in the Town Hall Conference Room on Thursday, September 19, 1996 at 8:40 P.M. #780

Complete applications and plans as filed are available for inspection in the Office of the Town Clerk during normal office hours.
Sincerely,
William D. Armitage, Chairperson
Jeffrey R. Chase
Nancy L. O'Brien
Robert Bertrand
Girard F. Oliva
9/6, 9/13

TOWN OF ROCHESTER
BOARD OF APPEALS
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the Rochester Board of Appeals will conduct a public hearing on Thursday, September 26, 1996 at 7:30 PM in the Conference Room of the Rochester Town Hall regarding the petition of Rochester Memorial School who is seeking a Special Permit under Section VIII C.5.d. to allow a sign larger that the allowed 9 square feet.

Property is located on Pine Street, Assessors plan 37 lot 38.
Charles Wolf, Chairman 09/06, 09/13

TOWN OF ROCHESTER
BOARD OF APPEALS
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the Rochester Board of Appeals will conduct a public hearing on Thursday, September 26, 1996 at 7:30 PM in the Conference Room of the Rochester Town Hall regarding the petition of Peter J. Hawes, Cynthia Ritter owner, who is seeking a Special Permit under Section VIII C.5.d. to allow a sign larger that the allowed 9 square feet.

Property is located on High Street, Assessors plan 21 lot 5.
Charles Wolf, Chairman 09/06, 09/13

TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT
CONSERVATION COMMISSION
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Mattapoisett Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, September 17, 1996 at 7:15 PM in the Town Hall on the Request for A Determination of Applicability submitted by Richard T. Cote, 5 Gary Drive, Mattapoisett, MA 02739.

The proposed project is to construct a shed.

The project is located at 5 Gary Drive and is further identified as Lot 64 on Assessor Map 14.
Daniel J. Bungert, Chairman 09/13

TOWN OF ROCHESTER
PLANNING BOARD
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the Planning Board will conduct a public hearing on Tuesday, October 8, 1996 at 7:15 PM regarding a "Notice of Intention to Modify, Amend or Rescind Constructive Approval" of a Form C subdivision plan entitled: "Subdivision of Land in Rochester, MA, Old Middleboro Road, prepared by GAF Engineering, Inc. for Mark A. LeClair and Wendy M. LeClair, dated January 16, 1996."

Property is further identified on Rochester Assessors' maps as Plan 21, Lot 32.
Janice M. Crook, Chairman 09/13, 09/20

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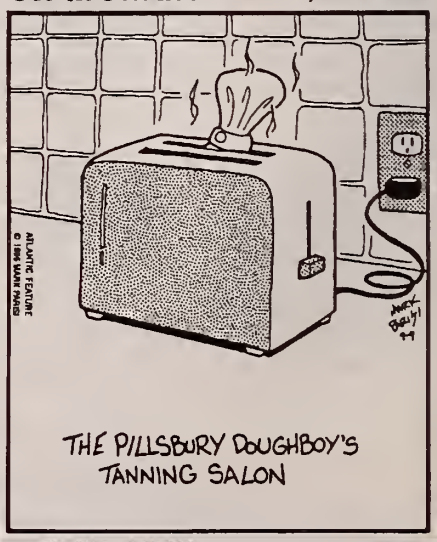

Legends League Celebrity Softball Team featuring New England Patriots Alumni on Saturday, September 14th at 1:00 pm at Old Colony. Admission is $15. Please bring lawn chairs and blankets.

Mattapoisett School Committee Vacancy

Applications will be accepted until Friday, September 20th at 3:00 pm to fill a vacancy on the Mattapoisett School Committee until the next Annual Town Election in April, 1997. This vacancy was created by the recent resignation of Lisa Regan Durr. Kindly forward all applications tot he Selectmen's Office.

Tri-Town Men's Fellowship

On Sunday, September 29th at St. Gabriel's Parish Hall at 8:30 am Peter Cassidy and Mike Brady will talk about their "Vagabond" World Voyage. Come sail the seas--3,100 nautical miles of ocean travel. We will have a talk on the voyage as well as interesting slides of the wonders of the Atlantic, the beautiful Mediterranean, the mysticism of the Red Sea and the Indian Ocean, the Polynesian areas and Seas of Australia as well as the vastness of the Pacific all in one hour. Impossible you say! Not when you join us for breakfast on Sunday, the 29th. Peter Cassidy has experienced what many of us dream about. Sailing around the world. Spend some time with him Sunday morning to hear of this fascinating experience he had and see his slides of areas we know we probably will never see. "Now is the season for sailing, Blow, blow, gods of the wind, Wake the right wind, A straight wind, Take us to Tahiti, On the sea path west, To the horizon never crossed, To an island far away." (written by Susan Nunes). Early bird coffee about 8:30 am. Slides and talk will begin at 9:00 am. Optional donation for breakfast is $4. Don't miss this.

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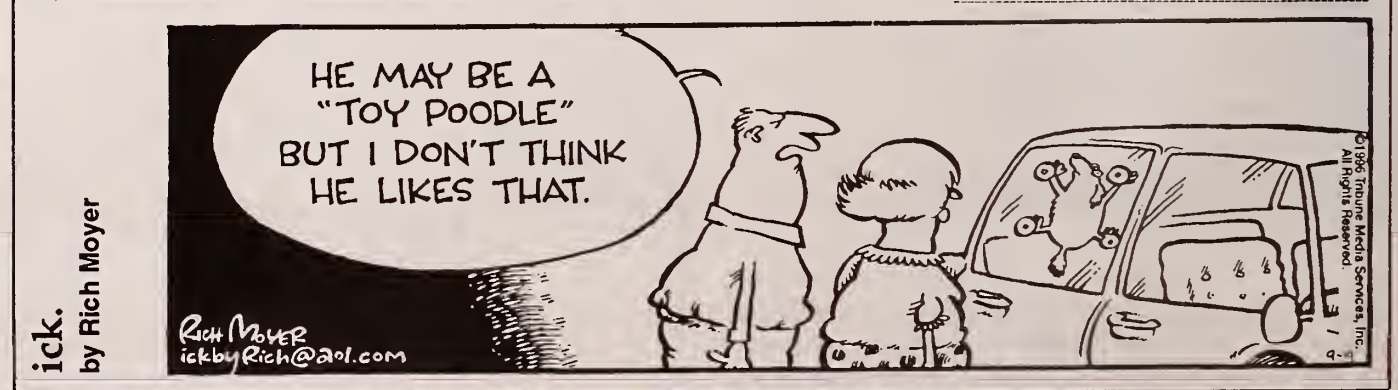

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A Museum "Thank You"

With another successful summer over, the Board Of Directors of the Mattapoisett Historical Society wishes to thank all those who visited the Museum & Carriage House (500 plus), the many people who loaned items for both the "Accessories" and "Lamps & Lighting" exhibits, and especially the 76 volunteers who served at docents.

Comments from out-of-town visitors over the summer ranged from "this museum is a gem" to "what a great museum—so well displayed, and what a collection." Another fall/winter program schedule is in the final preparation stages. All of our museum programs are open to the public and announcements of these events will appear in the "Wanderer" and the "Sippican Sentinel." Again, thanks to all of you!

Wareham Garden Club

The regular meeting of the Wareham Garden Club will be held on Thursday, September 12 at Fellowship Hall, First Congregational Church, 5 Gibbs Avenue at 7:00 pm. Back by popular request, speaker Paul Parent is a walking encyclopedia on gardening and is well known from his popular Sunday morning talk show on WKRO. Admission is free for members and $4 for non-members. For membership information, please contact Ruth Kelenosy at 295-3858.

Mattapoisett Seniors Club

The activities of the Mattapoisett Seniors Club for 1996-1997 will begin on September 12th at 1:00 pm in the Knights of Columbus Hall. Mrs. Norma Jones, president, will preside and hostesses will be Mrs. Mary Bellotti, Mrs. Louise Bellotti, Miss Sandy Smith and Mrs. Vinnie Lottero.

Following the business meeting at which plans will be initiated for the election of officers in November, members and guests will be entertained by Wendy Davis, a "One Woman Band" from

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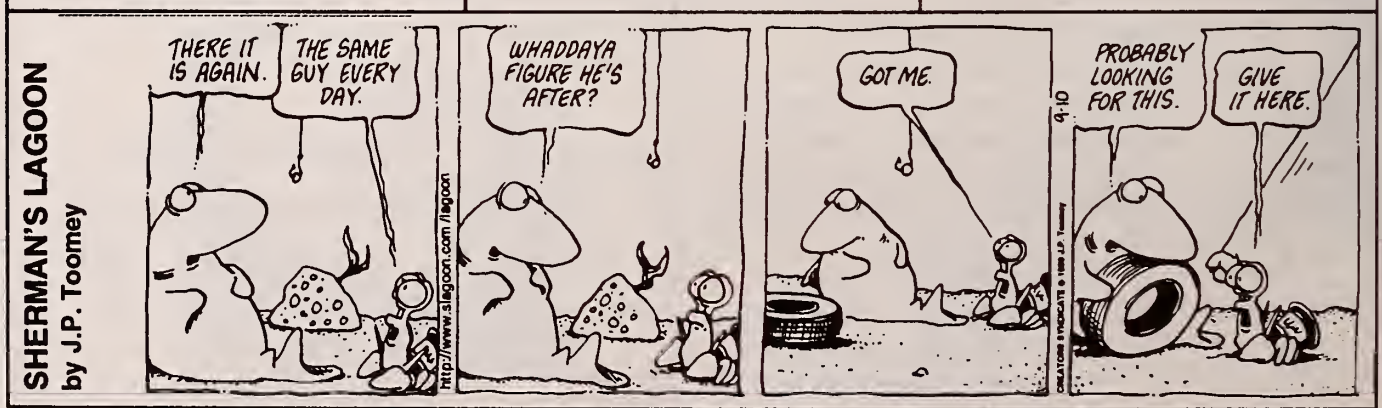

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Red Sox Game

There are still two spaces available on the bus going to the game on Saturday, September 14th. The bus fee is $10. The game itself if free and a box lunch will be provided by the "Friends." The bus leaves from the Bowlmor Lanes promptly at 11:00 am. Call Jim at 758-2887.

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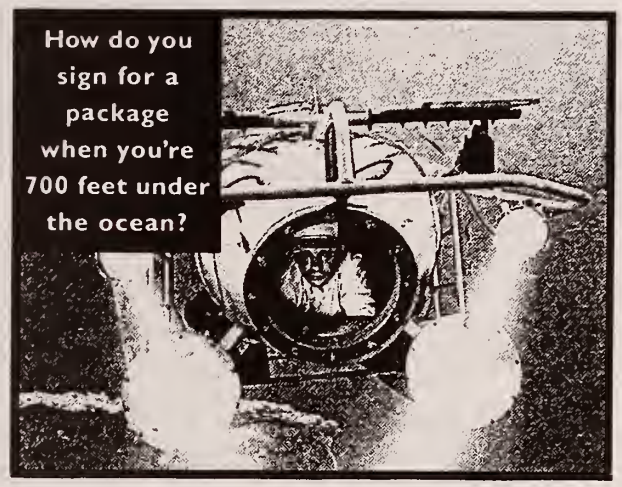

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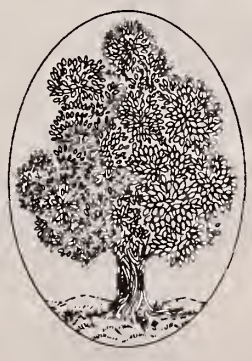

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Old Colony Voke

Honor Society

Seven members of the Old Colony Chapter of the National Honor Society have been selected to participate in the Fourth Annual National Conference to be held in November. The conference will convene at the Marriot City Center Hotel in Minneapolis, Minnesota. This marks the fourth consecutive year that the Old Colony Chapter has been represented at the National Conference. Honor Society members from all 50 states will be in attendance. The conference lasts three days. The Old Colony contingent will travel to Minnesota one day early to have the opportunity for sightseeing. Selected to represent Old Colony were: Steven H. Colt, Jr. (Carver); Michele Rocha (Carver); Travis R. Edminster (E. Freetown); Marietta E. Knox (Lakeville); Gerard P. Santos (Rochester); Michael J. Vieira (Rochester) and Jeremiah Madden (Carver).

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Regional Lunch Menus for September 16 - September 20

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• *Monday, September 16* — Beef strip steak with gravy, scalloped potatoes, orange glazed beets, rye bread, Macintosh apple.
• *Tuesday, September 17* — American chop suey, Sicilian blend vegetables, orange juice, white bread, chocolate pudding.
• *Wednesday, September 18* — BBQ chicken leg, wild and long grain rice, succotash, corn bread, orange.
• *Thursday, September 19* — Turkey with gravy, apple stuffing, whipped potato, peas, multi-grain bread, fresh fruit.
• *Friday, September 20* — New England clam chowder, five cheese lasagna, California blend vegetables, branola bread, applesauce cake.
For reservations/cancellations, call 999-6400, extension 70 or 68 at least 24 hours in advance. Menu is subject to change without notice.

Center School
• *Monday, September 16* — Steak'Ums or Steak'Ums with cheese, or deli turkey on a roll or pocket, oven potato puffs, veggie sticks, fruit, dessert, milk.
• *Tuesday, September 17* — Meatball sub, or tuna roll/pocket, macaroni salad, fruit, dessert, milk.
• *Wednesday, September 18* — Ravioli, tossed salad, French bread, or ham and cheese pocket/roll, tossed salad, fruit, dessert, milk.
• *Thursday, September 19* — Baked chicken, rice, green beans, or Italian sub/pocket, tossed salad, fruit, dessert, milk.
• *Friday, September 20* — Linguiça or cheese pizza, or tuna pocket/roll, tossed salad, fruit, dessert, milk.

Old Hammondtown School
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• *Friday, September 20* — Linguiça or cheese pizza, or tuna pocket/roll, tossed salad, fruit, dessert, milk.

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• *Monday, September 16* — Chicken rice soup, bacon cheeseburger, or chicken pattie, lettuce, tomato, fruit, juice or milk.
• *Tuesday, September 17* — Tacos or Steak'Ums, lettuce, tomato, nacho cheese sauce, fruit, juice or milk.
• *Wednesday, September 18* — American chop suey, or chicken fritters, green beans, garlic bread, fruit, juice or milk.
• *Thursday, September 19* — Soup, beef and broccoli over rice, or Italian sub, applesauce, roll, fruit, juice or milk.
• *Friday, September 20* — Shepherd's pie, or BBQ ribs, applesauce, roll, fruit, juice or milk.

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Old Colony Regional Voke
• *Monday, September 16* — Chicken pattie roll, oven fries, carrots, cranberry sauce, pudding.
• *Tuesday, September 17* — Hot roast beef sandwich, mashed potatoes, peas, chilled fruit.
• *Wednesday, September 18* — Orange juice, taco boats, rice, corn, marble cake.
• *Thursday, September 19* — Spaghetti with meatballs, roll, tossed salad, cake.
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• *Wednesday, September 18* — Baked potato with all the toppings, buttered bread, or assorted sandwiches, tossed salad, fruit, milk.
• *Thursday, September 19* — Chicken fajitas, rice pilaf, or assorted sandwiches, tossed salad, fruit, milk.
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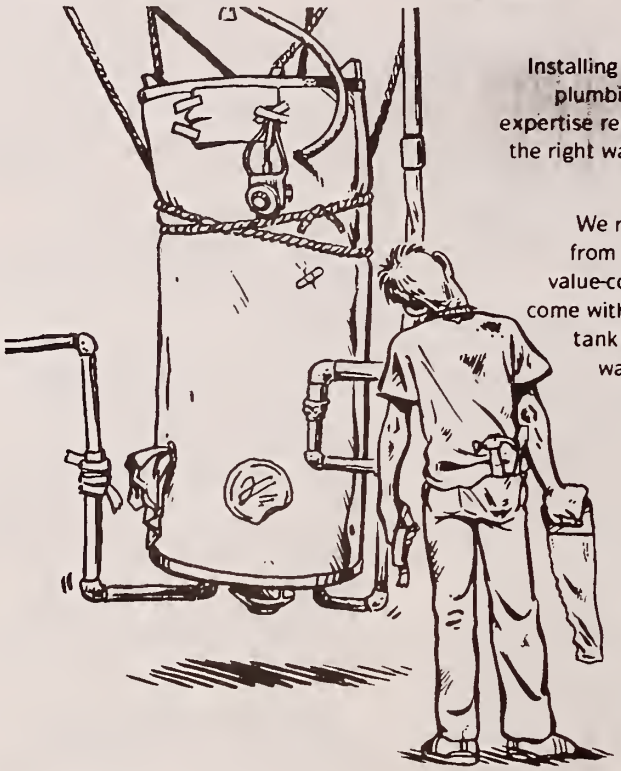

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September 13:	Fri.	8:52	9:09	2:08	2:26
September 14:	Sat.	9:30	9:48	2:40	3:02
September 15:	Sun.	10:09	10:27	3:13	3:39
September 16:	Mon.	10:50	11:09	3:49	4:19
September 17:	Tues.	11:35	11:56	4:28	5:03
September 18:	Wed.	...	12:25	5:12	5:53
September 19:	Thur.	12:50	1:22	6:02	6:50
September 20:	Fri.	1:52	2:25	7:02	7:57
September 21:	Sat.	2:58	3:30	8:11	9:12
September 22:	Sun.	4:02	4:33	9:29	10:27
September 23:	Mon.	5:03	5:31	10:46	11:32
September 24:	Tues.	5:59	6:25	11:54	...
September 25:	Wed.	6:51	7:16	12:27	12:52
September 26:	Thur.	7:41	8:05	1:16	1:44
September 27:	Fri.	8:29	8:53	2:01	2:33
September 28:	Sat.	9:17	9:40	2:44	3:08
September 29:	Sun.	10:04	10:26	3:26	4:03

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